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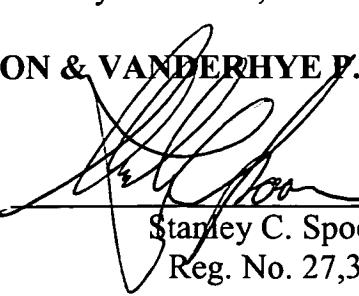
SECOND STATUS INQUIRY

A Status Inquiry was filed on April 4, 2006, regarding the above-identified application. An answer to that inquiry was issued April 14, 2006 indicating an expected date for an action in this case would be *July 2006*. However, as of this date, we have still not received an Official Action regarding this case, nor have we received a reply to the Status Inquiry filed September 29, 2006. Inquiry is again made as to when an Action will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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